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Dear Mr. Stewart:

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This is to advise you that Falcon Refining Company completed the purchase of the Texas Independent Refining unit at Ingleside, Texas, on November 30, 1985. At that time I, as general counsel, applied for assignment of permits to the Texas Water Control Board, the Environmental Protection Agency and, via letter, applied to your office, the Texas Air Control Board. We have received the return of the assignments from the Texas Water Control Board and the EPA, but had heard nothing from your office until receipt of your letter dated January 9, 1986, to Mr. Claude Richey, Falcon's plant manager.

Obviously, our application was lost in the mail and never reached your office. Please excuse this late application; however, please be advised that we took the proper steps on a timely basis but were hendered 50 by matters beyond our control.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter, and I remain

Very truly yours,

Gerald L Jones. Coumsel General